

Docket No. 262434US2PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Martin SCHMIDT, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/516,297

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FILED: December 9, 2004

EXAMINER:

FOR: METHOD AND INSTRUMENT FOR SURGICAL NAVIGATION

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

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SIR:

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It is hereby requested that a five month extension of time be granted to December 18, 2005 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated: May 18, 2005
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

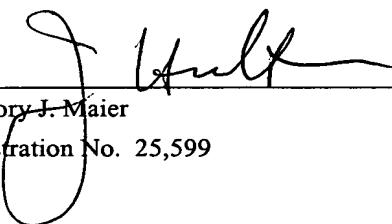
The required fee of \$2,160.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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